



# CITY OF COLLEGE PARK MUNICIPAL SCENE

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March 28, 2013

## City Hall Bulletin Board

### MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEETINGS

**APRIL 2, 2013**

7:00 PM MAYOR AND COUNCIL WORKSESSION

**APRIL 9, 2013**

7:00 PM PUBLIC FORUM ON FY 2014 ACTIONPLAN

7:15 PM PUBLIC HEARING 13-CR-01: CHARTER CHANGE RE:  
SPECIAL TAXING DISTRICTS

7:30 PM MAYOR AND COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

**APRIL 13, 2013**

7:30 AM BUDGET WORKSESSION

**APRIL 16, 2013**

7:30 PM MAYOR AND COUNCIL WORKSESSION

**APRIL 20, 2013**

7:30 AM BUDGET WORKSESSION

**APRIL 23, 2013**

7:30 PM MAYOR AND COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

All meetings take place in the 2nd floor Council Chambers of City Hall, 4500 Knox Road, College Park, Maryland unless noted. All meetings are open to the public except Executive Sessions. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 240-487-3501 and describe the assistance that is necessary.

All Mayor and Council meetings can be viewed live on Comcast cable channel 71 or Verizon channel 25. Regular Council Meetings and Worksessions are rebroadcast in their entirety at the following times: Wednesdays at 8pm, Thursdays and Fridays at 6pm, and Saturdays at 10am

Worksessions and Council meetings may also be viewed live over the internet. Those interested in watching the live meetings from their computer should visit the City's website at [www.collegeparkmd.gov](http://www.collegeparkmd.gov), and click on the menu item "Council Meetings Video". You will be redirected to the Granicus, Inc. web site which will host the web streaming and archiving of Council meetings. Meetings that are streamed will also be archived for future viewing through the City's website.

Meeting Agendas are posted on the City's website on the Friday afternoon prior to the meetings - [www.collegeparkmd.gov](http://www.collegeparkmd.gov) - and are available at the City Clerk's office. Meeting back-up materials will be posted to the website on the Monday prior to the meeting.

Meeting schedule is subject to change. For current information, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 240-487-3501.

### COUNCIL ACTION

At their regular meeting on March 12, 2013, the College Park City Council took the following actions:

Approved a recommendation letter for Al-Huda School.

Awarded FY 2014 Contracts for Dental Insurance (MetLife and DentaQuest for \$43,000), Workers Compensation (IWIF for \$173,488) and Liability Insurances (LGIT and affiliates for \$145,040).

Approved, With Conditions, Preliminary Plan of Subdivision 4-12014 for Litton Technology Center.

Approved a position of support, with amendments, for County Bill CB-6 (Transit-Oriented Priority Development) and a position opposing County Bill CB-12 (Transit-Oriented Jobs Act of 2013 -Expedited Transit-Oriented Development), and authorized staff to testify to same before the PZED Committee hearing.

Introduced Charter Amendment Resolution 13-CR-01, A Charter Amendment Of The Mayor And Council Of The City Of College Park, Maryland, Amending Article XI, § C11-6 "Special Taxing Districts" To Authorize A Special Taxing District To Finance The Capital And Operating Costs To Enhance Police, Fire Protection And Rescue Services. The Public Hearing on this proposed Charter Amendment Will Be Tuesday, April 9, at 7:15 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

Appointed Jack Robson, Charles Smolka, Maxine Gross, and Terry Wertz to the Board of Election Supervisors, and appointed Tricia Homer to the Cable Television Commission.

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**CHARTER RESOLUTION 13-CR-01**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 2013 – 7:15 p.m.**

**2ND FLOOR COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

**CITY HALL, 4500 KNOX ROAD**

A Charter Resolution Of The Mayor And Council Of The City Of College Park, Maryland, Amending Article XI, § C11-6 "Special Taxing Districts" To Authorize A Special Taxing District To Finance The Capital And Operating Costs To Enhance Police, Fire Protection And Rescue Services.

Copies of this Ordinance may be obtained from the City Clerk's Office, 4500 Knox Road, College Park, MD 20740, call 240-487-3501, or visit [www.collegeparkmd.gov](http://www.collegeparkmd.gov).

### CITY OFFICES CLOSED

**FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2013**

City offices will be closed on Friday, March 29, in observance of Good Friday.

### STATE TAX RETURN REMINDER

Please remember to specify "College Park" as your "Incorporated City" on your Maryland Tax Return.



For information about shopping, dining, attractions, services, and accommodations in College Park, visit [shopcollegepark.org](http://shopcollegepark.org)

## Around Town!



**GOODNEIGHBORDAY**  
MARYLAND IN SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

### GOOD NEIGHBOR DAY 2013:

**SATURDAY, APRIL 6**

**9 AM-1:30 PM**

**COLLEGE PARK COMMUNITY CENTER**

The 2nd Annual Good Neighbor Day will be held on Saturday, April 6, 2013 from 9:00 am to 1:30 pm. Good Neighbor Day is an annual event that celebrates being a good neighbor, every day of the year. This year's event will focus on clean-up efforts that contribute to a great quality of life for all College Park residents. Good Neighbor day is sponsored by the University of Maryland, City of College Park, and Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission.

Volunteers are needed for a variety of projects, including: cleaning up the Old Town Playground; painting the Old Parish House fence; picking up trash during a 5K Lakeland Trail hike; serve as a Lakeland history expert and curator at Lake Artemesia, along the Lakeland Discovery Trail hike; donating and sorting non-perishable goods to the College Park Food Bank; participating in an interactive workshop about the history of College Park's Lakeland Neighborhood at the College Park Community Center; repairing Paint Branch Elementary School basketball court; and assisting with neighborhood clean ups.

Your participation is also encouraged by dropping off non-perishable goods at City Hall, 4500 Knox Rd (M-F 8:00am-7:00pm; Sat. 1:00-5:00pm) or Davis Hall-Department of Public Works, 9217 51st Ave (Mon-Fri 7:30am-4:00pm). Collection is being held now through April 5 and donated items will go to area food banks.

Please join us for Good Neighbor Day! For more information, or to sign up as a volunteer, please visit [www.goodneighborday.umd.edu](http://www.goodneighborday.umd.edu).

EXPLORE OUR WORLD OF FEARLESS IDEAS

**MARYLAND  
DAY 2013**

### MARYLAND DAY 2013:

**EXPLORE OUR WORLD OF FEARLESS IDEAS**

**APRIL 27 - 10:00 AM-4:00 PM**

**UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND CAMPUS**

College Park, Md. – The University of Maryland is celebrating 15 years of Maryland Day. The must-attend open house on April 27 has become one of the most popular annual events in the D.C., VA, MD region. The campus opens its doors from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (rain or shine) – offering more than 400 free events, free parking, free on-campus transportation, and many food choices.

### Youth, Family and Senior Services...

**Senior Services 301-345-8100**

**Youth and Family Services 301-487-3550**

### AVAILABLE CITY SENIOR SERVICES

*Do You Know about College Park's*

- Quarterly Senior Socials?
- Wonderful Day Trips?
- Transportation to nearby medical appointments?

*Did You Know College Park's Senior Services Also Offer:*

- Advocacy with Other Agencies and Doctors Offices?
- Information and Referral?
- Liaison to Other Community Resources?

TO LEARN MORE *and to get on City Seniors mailing list, contact the City Seniors Program office 301-345-8100.*

### AVAILABLE CITY COUNSELING PROGRAM FOR FAMILIES

College Park Youth and Family Services offers counseling help to families who are having difficulties with everyday living. All counseling services are personalized to the unique needs of each individual family. Professional staff holds advanced degrees. For more information, call 240-487-3550.

### From The Public Works Dept...

**9217 51st Avenue**

**240-487-3590**

**[publicworks@collegeparkmd.gov](mailto:publicworks@collegeparkmd.gov)**

### SMARTLEAF® COMPOST AND WOOD MULCH

SMARTLEAF® compost and wood mulch is available for sale at the Department of Public Works. SMARTLEAF (screened compost) is available for \$19.08 per cubic yard and wood mulch is available for \$7.42 per cubic yard (all including tax). Material may be picked up at Public Works Monday through Friday 8:00 – 11:30am and 1:00 – 3:30pm. Deliveries may also be arranged for an additional fee. Delivered material cannot be unloaded in the street or right-of-way. Please call 240-487-3590 or email [publicworks@collegeparkmd.gov](mailto:publicworks@collegeparkmd.gov) for more information.

### APRIL CLEANUP MONTH

The City of College Park Public Works Department (9217 51st Avenue) will be open Saturdays in April from 7:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m., for City residents to drop off bulky trash, electronics for recycling, and yard waste. **We are also happy to announce that we will be accepting #6 expanded polystyrene (EPS) foam for recycling!!** Number 6 expanded polystyrene foam, commonly known as Styrofoam®, cannot be contaminated with tape, stickers, food, or other impurities. *Additionally, we can only accept molded foam such as blocks used in packaging – no food or beverage containers or packing peanuts.* EPS foam will only be accepted during our Saturday cleanup days in April.

Electronic appliances that may be recycled include, but are not limited to: TVs, computers, monitors, keyboards, mice, speakers, VCRs, CD, DVD & MP3 players, cell phones & PDAs, printers, scanners, fax machines, telephones, radios, stereos, electric tools, game systems, and handheld games. City of College Park residents may also call or email Public Works to schedule a special electronics recycling pickup appointment (240-487-3590; [publicworks@collegeparkmd.gov](mailto:publicworks@collegeparkmd.gov)).

Hazardous materials will not be accepted (shingles, propane tanks, paint, etc.). Air conditioners, heat pumps, refrigerators and freezers may incur a disposal fee; tires will incur a disposal fee of \$4.00 each. The clean up days on April 6, 13, 20, and 27 are available for City of College Park residents only; you must show proof of residency in the City of College Park to participate.

SMARTLEAF® compost and wood mulch will also be available for sale – residency is NOT required.

We will also be working with Community Forklift and American Rescue Workers again this year to divert items from the landfill that are still in good condition. All donations are tax deductible. Clean out your homes, garages, and sheds, and bring the items you no longer use or need and donate them for reuse. The following types of items will be collected separately so they may be reused:

- Building, remodeling, and gardening materials – any surplus or salvaged (in GOOD condition) items from your latest home or garden improvement job, including but not limited to: bricks and pavers, plumbing and light fixtures, tiles and flooring material, cabinets, doors, gardening supplies, and tools. These items will be donated to Community Forklift.

- Clothing and household items – cookware, dishes, books, linens, games, toys, clothes, shoes, and intact furniture items (NO upholstered furniture or mattresses). These reusable items will be donated to American Rescue Workers.



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### COLLEGE PARK DIRECTORY

**City of College Park Main Number**.....240-487-3500

CITY HALL, 4500 Knox Road, College Park, MD 20740

Hours: M-F 8am-7pm; Sat. 1-5pm; Sun - Closed

#### City Hall Departments

City Manager/City Clerk.....240-487-3501

City FAX Number.....301-699-8029

Finance.....240-487-3509

Human Resources.....240-487-3533

Parking Enforcement Div. (M-F 8am-10pm/Sat. 1-7pm).....240-487-3520

Planning/Economic Development.....240-487-3538

**Housing Authority (Attick Towers)** 9014 R.I. Ave....301-345-3600

**Public Services Department**, 4601A Calvert Rd.....240-487-3570

Animal Control, Code Enforcement, Public Safety and Recreation. Parking Enforcement is at City Hall.

24 Hour Hotline.....240-487-3588

For Urgent Code Enforcement, Noise Control, Animal Control Issues.

**Public Works Department**, 9217 51st Ave.....240-487-3590

Trash Collection, Recycling and Special Pick-ups.

**Senior Program (Attick Towers)** 9014 R.I. Ave.....301-345-8100

**Youth and Family Services**, 4912 Nantucket Rd.....240-487-3550

Drop-In Recreation Center.....301-345-4425

#### MAYOR AND COUNCIL

**Mayor Andrew M. Fellows**

5807 Bryn Mawr Road.....301-441-8141

**Councilmember Fazlul Kabir (District 1)**

9817 53rd Avenue.....301-659-6295

**Councilmember Patrick L. Wojahn (District 1)**

5015 Lackawanna Street.....240-988-7763

**Councilmember Robert T. Catlin (District 2)**

8604 49th Avenue.....301-345-0742

**Councilmember Monroe S. Dennis (District 2)**

8117 51st Avenue.....301-474-6270

**Councilmember Robert W. Day (District 3)**

7410 Baylor Avenue.....301-741-1962

**Councilmember Stephanie Stullich (District 3)**

7400 Dartmouth Avenue.....301-742-4442

**Councilmember Marcus Afzali (District 4)**

9238 Limestone Place.....240-391-8241

**Councilmember Denise C. Mitchell (District 4)**

3501 Marlborough Way.....240-460-7620

#### OTHER FREQUENTLY CALLED NUMBERS

**EMERGENCY: FIRE-AMBULANCE-POLICE**.....**911**

#### NON-EMERGENCY POLICE SERVICES

Prince George's Co. Police (Hyattsville Station).....301-699-2630

Prince George's Co. Police Non-Emergency Svcs.....301-352-1200

Prince George's Co. Park Police.....301-459-9088

State Police (College Park Barrack).....301-345-3101

University of Maryland Police.....301-405-3555

College Park Community Center.....301-441-2647

5051 Pierce Avenue, College Park

Branchville Vol. Fire & Rescue Squad.....301-474-1550

4905 Branchville Road, College Park [www.bvfc011.com](http://www.bvfc011.com)

College Park Vol. Fire Department.....301-901-9112

8115 Baltimore Avenue, College Park [www.cpvfd.org](http://www.cpvfd.org)

PEPCO - Power Outages, Lines Down.....1-877-737-2662

WSSC: Water Mains.....301-206-4002

Prince George's County Storm Drains.....301-499-8520



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